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PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
HIROFUMI SUDA ET AL.) : Examiner: N. Vu
Application No.: 09/371,537) : Group Art Unit: 2711
Filed: August 10, 1999) :
For: DATA COMMUNICATION) :
APPARATUS, DATA) :
COMMUNICATION SYSTEM, DATA) :
COMMUNICATION AND STORAGE) :
MEDIUM) November 22, 2000

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 24, 2000 to and including November 24, 2000. A check in the amount of \$890.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows:

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